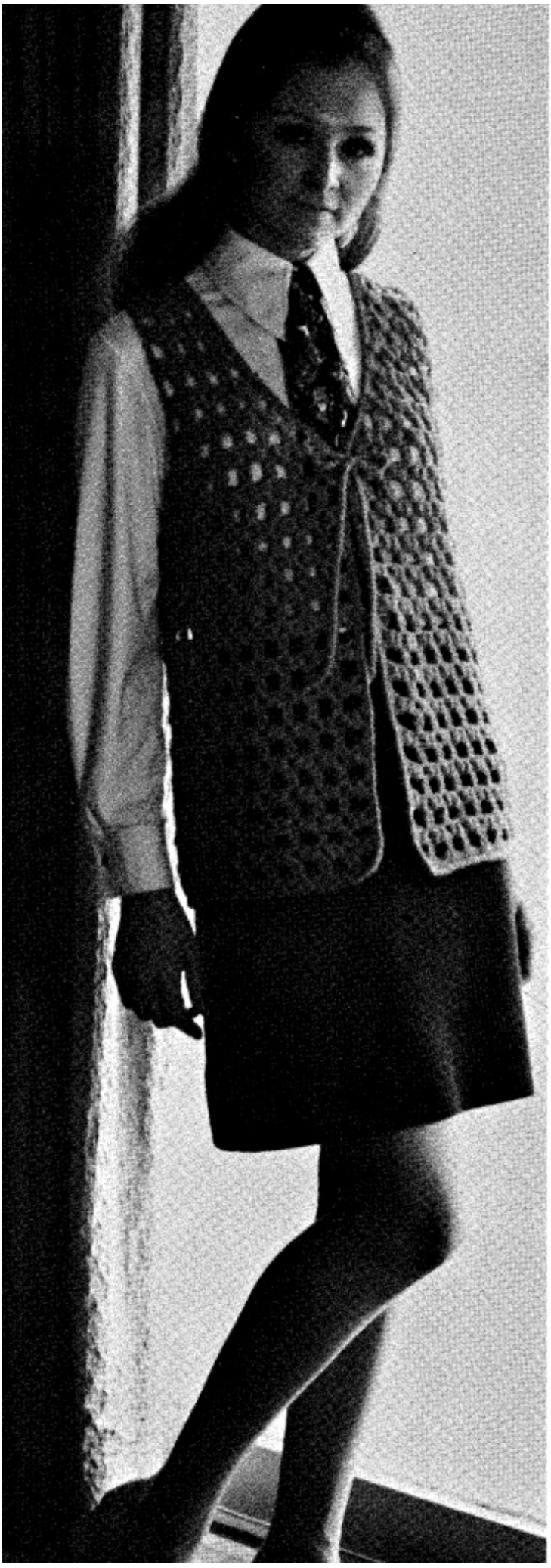

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These directions are for small size (8-10), medium size (12-14) and large size (16-18).

MATERIALS

BERNAT BERELLA GERMANTOWN
(2 oz. balls) — 5
FOR SMALL SIZE
1 BERNAT-Aero crochet hook Size H
(Canadian Wool Crochet Hook No. 8)
FOR MEDIUM SIZE
1 BERNAT-Aero crochet hook Size I
(Canadian Wool Crochet Hook No. 7)
FOR LARGE SIZE
1 BERNAT-Aero crochet hook Size J
(Canadian Wool Crochet Hook No. 6)
OR ANY SIZE HOOK THAT WILL GIVE THE STITCH GAUGE GIVEN BELOW

GAUGE: 1 pattern = 1 inch on Size H hook
2 patterns = 2¼ inches on Size I hook
1 pattern = 1¼ inches on Size J hook

NOTE: All sizes are made on the same number of sts, using the hook suggested for the correct GAUGE.

PATTERN STITCH

Row 1: 1 s c in 2nd ch from hook and in each remaining st of ch, ch 6, turn.

Row 2: Skip 2 s c, work 1 tr in each of next 2 s c, * ch 2, skip 2 s c, work 1 tr in each of the next 2 s c, repeat from *, ending ch 2, skip 2 s c, 1 tr, ch 3, turn — 36 spaces including ch 6 space.

Row 3: In first ch 2 space (y o hook, draw up a loop in same space) 3 times, y o and draw through all loops on hook, ch 1 (puff st), work another puff st, * ch 1, work 2 puff sts in next ch 2 space, repeat from * across row, ending 2 puff sts and 1 d c in last ch 6 space, ch 6, turn.

Row 4: Skip 2 puff sts, 2 tr in next space, * ch 2, 2 tr in next space, repeat from * across row, ending ch 2, 1 tr in ch 3 space, ch 3, turn.

Repeat Rows 3 and 4 for pattern st.

Ch 143 sts loosely to measure 38(40-42) inches. Work even in pattern st until piece measures 14 inches, ending with Row 4. SHAPE RIGHT ARMHOLE AND NECK: Row 1: Work 1 puff st in first space, work across row in pattern st until 8 spaces have been completed, ending with 1 puff st and 1 d c in next space, ch 4, turn. Row 2: Skip first puff st and work 2 tr in next space, work to end of row in pattern as established, ending 1 tr in last ch 3 space, ch 3, turn. Row 3: Skip 3 tr, work 2 puff sts in next space, work across row in pattern as established, ending with 1 d c in last ch 4 space, ch 4, turn. Row 4: Skip 2 puff sts, work 2 tr in next space, work in pattern as established, ending with 1 tr in last ch 3 space, ch 4,

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turn. Row 5: Skip 2 tr, work 2 puff sts in next space, work in pattern as established across row, ending with 1 d c in last ch 4 space, ch 6, turn. Row 6: Skip 2 puff sts, work 2 tr in next space, work in pattern as established across row, ending with ch 2, 1 tr in last ch 4 space, ch 3, turn. Row 7: Skip 2 tr, work 2 puff sts in next space, work in pattern as established across row, ending work 2 puff sts and 1 d c in last ch 6 space, ch 6, turn. Row 8: Skip 2 puff sts, work 2 tr in next space, work in pattern as established across row, ending ch 1, 1 tr in last ch 3 space, ch 3, turn. Row 9: Work 1 puff st in next space, work in pattern as established across row, ending 2 puff sts and 1 d c in last ch 6 space, ch 6, turn. Row 10: Skip 2 puff sts, work 2 tr in next space, work in pattern as established, ending ch 1, 1 tr in last ch 3 space, ch 3, turn. Row 11: Skip 3 tr, work 2 puff sts in next space, work in pattern as established, ending 2 puff sts and 1 d c in last ch 6 space, ch 6, turn. Row 12: Skip 2 puff sts, work 2 tr in next space, work in pattern as established, ending 2 tr in last ch 3 space, ch 3, turn. Row 13: Skip 2 tr, work 2 puff sts in next space, work in pattern as established across row, ending 2 puff sts and 1 d c in last ch 6 space, ch 6, turn. Repeat Rows 12 and 13 until armhole measures approximately 8(8½-9) inches. Sl st across remaining sts. Fasten off.

BACK: Row 1: Join yarn at the beg of right front armhole shaping. Sl st across 2 spaces and 1 tr, ch 3, work 2 puff sts in next space, work in pattern as established until 10 spaces are left, ending 1 d c in next space, ch 6, turn. Row 2: Skip 2 puff sts, work 2 tr in next space, work in pattern as established across row, ending 1 tr in last space, ch 3, turn. Row 3: Skip 2 tr, work 2 puff sts in next space, work in pattern as established across row, ending 1 d c in last ch 6 space, ch 6, turn. Row 4: Skip 2 puff sts, work 2 tr in next space, work in pattern as established across row, ending 1 tr in last ch 3 space, ch 3, turn. Row 5: Repeat Row 3. Row 6: Repeat Row 4. Row 7: Work 1 puff st in first space, work in pattern as established across row, ending work 1 puff st and 1 d c in last ch 6 space, ch 5, turn. Row 8: Skip 1 puff st, work 2 tr in next space, work in pattern as established across row, ending ch 1, 1 tr in last ch 3 space, ch 3, turn—12 spaces. Repeat last 2 rows until armholes measure approximately 8(8½-9) inches. Fasten off.

LEFT FRONT: Row 1: Starting at armhole edge, join yarn and sl st across 1 space and 2 tr, work 2 sl sts in next space, ch 3, work 1 puff st in same space, work in pattern across row, ending 1 puff st and 1 d c in ch 6 space, ch 4, turn. Repeat Rows 2, 3 and 4 of right armhole shaping. Row 5: Skip 2 tr, work 2 puff sts in next space, work in pattern across row, ending 1 d c in last ch 4 space, ch 4, turn. Row 6: Skip 2 puff sts, work 2 tr in next space, work in pattern across row, ending ch 2, work 1 tr in last ch 3 space, ch 3, turn. Row 7: Work 2 puff sts in first ch 2 space, work in pattern across row, ending 1 d c in last ch 3 space, ch 6, turn. Row 8: Skip 2 puff sts, work 2 tr in next space, work in pattern across row, ending ch 2, work 1 tr in last ch 3 space, ch 3, turn. Row 9: Work 2 puff sts in first ch 2 space, work in pattern across row, ending 1 puff st in last ch 6 space, ch 4, turn. Row 10: Skip 1 puff st, work 2 tr in next space, work in pattern across row, ending ch 2, 1 tr in last ch 3 space, ch 3, turn. Row 11: Work 2 puff sts in first ch 2 space, work in pattern across row, ending ch 2, 1 d c in last ch 4 space, ch 4, turn. Row 12: Work 1 tr in first ch 2 space, work in pattern across row, ending ch 2, work 1 tr in last ch 3 space, ch 3, turn. Row 13: Work 2 puff sts in first ch 2 space, work in pattern across row, ending 1 d c in last ch 4 space, ch 4, turn. Repeat Rows 12 and 13 until armhole measures approximately 8(8½-9) inches. Sl st across remaining sts. Fasten off.

FINISHING: Sew shoulder seams. EDGING: Row 1: With right side facing you and starting at lower right front edge, work 1 row s c around entire vest, join with a sl st, DO NOT TURN. Row 2: Working from LEFT TO RIGHT, work 1 s c in each st. Fasten off. Work same edging around armholes. Steam lightly. TIE: Using yarn double, make a chain to measure 27 inches. Fasten off. Knot each end and tie at start of V neck shaping.